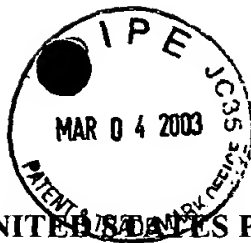


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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Tom TSANG, et al.

SERIAL NO: 09/185,243

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EXAMINER: PRIEBE, S.

FOR: HYPERTHERMIC INDUCIBLE EXPRESSION VECTORS FOR GENE THERAPY AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

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SIR:

It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to March 4, 2003 for

- ☒ filing a response to the Official Action dated: November 4, 2002
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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☒ No additional fee is required

☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.

☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Marked-up copy; Request for Extension of Time (One-Month); Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132, Executed, w/Drawing attached; Attached to the response: *Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA* 87:8090-8094 (1990); *AIDS Research and Human Retroviruses* 6(5):649-658 (1990); *Virology* 201:95-106 (1994); *Journal of Virology* 71(5):3563-3573 (1997); and *Nucleic Acids Research* 28(3): 663-668 (2000).

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

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		<input type="checkbox"/> Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity				\$0.00
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		TOTAL				\$0.00

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☒ If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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